

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether new schemes were announced on the occasion of World Environment Day for conservation of forests;
- (b) if so, whether the Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE) has observed that the allocation made in this sector are not adequate for research works which is very much essential for forest conservation; and
- (c) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

- (a) No new scheme has been announced on the occasion of World Environment Day this year for conservation of forests;
- (b) & (c) Does not arise .